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Brief Summary of Selected Substantive Portions of this Response

[0001] In response to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2008, Applicant presents herein clarifying amendments and remarks pointing out differences between the claimed subject matter and the cited references.

[0002] This brief summary is not intended to represent the Applicant's full response to the Action. Rather, it is merely a brief summary of selected substantive portions of the response herein.

SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

None